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Reference: FCC Docket Nos 96-45, 98-171, 90-571, 92-237, 99-200, 95-116, 98-170 and NSD File No. L-00-72.

Dear FCC:

I am writing to complain about the proposed changes to the Universal Service Fund and requesting that the FCC investigate this matter further before changing the current policy. Your proposed \$1.00 per month charge for all wireless phones will directly impact my ability to retain my wireless service.

I do not think it is fair to charge EVERYBODY \$1.00 dollar regardless of how they use their wireless phone, especially for a low-volume user that relies on wireless service for safety and security, not interstate calls. The current policy is fair, based on interstate usage, and should be left alone. Please do not penalize us. Keep this fair.

I am on disability, and live by myself. I have this phone because sometimes I have to drive alone at night. I have had a problem of someone following me home one time. I need this phone for my own safty. I can't afford for the bills to go up. That is why I got this type of cell phone. There are no monthly fee's and no contracts to sign. If this goes up, I will just have to give up my phone all together. It is hard enough for me now. Please just leave it alone. Thank you. Donna Cullin

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter. Please provide a written response indicating the status/resolution of this matter.

Very truly yours,

Donna Cullin 363 W right Way

CC: FCC Subcommittee Members